



## About Us

The **BAD CAT AMPLIFIERS COMPANY**, of Corona, California, offers an entirely new line of unquestionably superior Class A Tube guitar amplifiers. Whether judged for richest sound or build quality, consider that no other amp line even comes close.

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**MARK SAMPSON**, pictured far left, grew up building dragsters, custom guitars for the stars and custom amps. He hopped-up and customized several old-model tube amps for pro musicians and then began building his own amps for resale with Rick Perrotta. Mark is a veritable guru of Class A Tube amp design. "Bad Cat has given me the opportunity to embody my very latest design ideas". Anyone who knows amps, knows Mark the Bad Cat Design Cat.

**JAMES HEIDRICH**, pictured next to Mark, built custom guitars and custom amplifiers. He met Mark after contacting engineers in the amp industry and interviewing artists. "All roads seemed to lead to Mark". James sought out Mark's advice in order to offer a full line of the world's best amplifiers. James and his wife Debbie founded the Bad Cat Amplifiers Company. James is Bad Cat's Main Cat, buys hard-to-find tube parts, manages production and the Bad Cat guys.



**RICK PERROTTA**, pictured to the right of James, co-founded with Mark Sampson a Class A amplifier company many years ago. Mark was the designer and Rick made sure everything got built quickly and correctly. Rick has in-depth knowledge of amp construction components and processes. He is well known within the tube amp industry as the guy who gets it done.

**JOE ALLRICH**, pictured to the far right, is the Bad Cat Sales Cat. He was with Fender for many years as VP and he was also PRES of U.S. Music Corp. He worked with Mark Sampson and Rick Perrotta for several years selling Class A amps; he's sold thousands of amps. "I'm pleased to join James' Bad Cat team to be able to distribute the best amps I've ever heard. Each demo is sooo successful because every Bad Cat makes any guitarist sound like a seasoned Pro".

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